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Title: METHOD FOR DIRECTING AND EXECUTING CERTIFIED TRADING INTERESTS				
Examiner: HAMILTON, Lalita M.		Art Unit 3624	Confirmation No. 8654	

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 20, 2006**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2006, thus extending the due date for this Response from December 20, 2006 to March 20, 2007. The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1020. Please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.